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12	The position regarding Hindi Translation of Central Acts & Rules. (Department of Official Language)
13.	The position regarding option of Hindi medium in the inservice departmental and promotional examinations. (Department of Official Language)
14.	The present position regarding the use of Rajbhasha in Electronic equipments etc in the Ministry, Services Headquarters, Command Hqrs and Unit Hqrs. (Department of Official Language/Prof. Rasa Singh Rawat)
15.	(a) Publishing articles on subjects relating to the Ministry/Department in the magazines. (Department of Official Language)
	(b) The Golden Jubilee publication of exemplary use, application etc. of Rajbhasha in the Department of Defence and the DRDO during the last 50 years. (Prof. Rasa Singh Rawat, MP)
16.	(a) Use of Hindi in Departmental meetings. (Department of Rajbhasha)
	(b) The position regarding use of Hindi in the different conferences and meetings of the Army. (Prof. Rasa Singh Rawat, MP)
17.	The position regarding use of Hindi in Code messages and Website Internet, etc. (Prof. Rasa Singh Rawat, MP)
18.	Any other subject with the permission of the Chair.

Indian help to curb Maoists Violence in Nepal

3075. SHRIRAMDAS AGARWAL: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to a news-item

published in the Hindustan Times, dated 1st December, 2001 captioned, "Maoists spread net in North-Bengal, Sikkim, Bihar, plan stir";

(b) if so, what are the details thereof;

(c) whether Nepal has requested for Indian assistance; and

(d) if so, what help Government of India has promised to Government of Nepal in tackling Maoists?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRICHENNAMANENIVIDYASAGARRAO): (a) and (b) Government has seen the news item. Some instances of the presence of Maoist activists in a few States has been reported.

(c) and (d) It would not be in public interest to disclose the desired information.

ISI activities in Andhra Pradesh

3076. SHRI P. PRABHAKAR REDDY: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the news-report, "ISI active in Andhra Pradesh for over a decade" appearing in the Times of India dated the 28th September, 2001; and

(b) if so, the Government's reaction thereto and the steps proposed to be taken to address the problems highlighted in the report?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI CHENN AM AN EN I VIDY ASAG AR RAO): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The report refers to incidents which have been investigated by the Police authorities of different States. Based on the interrogation, subsequent arrests helped in detection of several bomb explosion cases in Mumbai, Hyderabad, Lucknow, Delhi and other places. However, keeping in view the attempts by Pak ISI to foment trouble, a close watch is being kept on the situation.

The State Government of Andhra Pradesh has set up a Counter Intelligence Cell to monitor the activities of ISI activists and anti-national elements. In order to check the activities of Pak ISI, the Central Government has taken several steps which include sensitizing the State Governments about the threat